HOUSE BILL 1766

By Howell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 11, Part 1, relative to bail.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-113, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following:

(b) If a defendant is convicted of first degree murder, a Class A felony, or a violation of § 39-11-117, § 39-12-205, § 39-13-304, § 39-13-402, § 39-13-503, § 39-13-504, § 39-13-518, § 39-13-1004, § 39-15-402, § 39-17-107, § 39-17-417(b), § 39-17-417(i), § 39-17-1004, or § 39-17-1005, the judge shall revoke bail immediately, notwithstanding sentencing hearings, motions for a new trial, or related post-guilt determination hearings.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.